House Resolution No. 487

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Andrew William Tritico of Kansas City, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on April 24, 2005, at St. Therese Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Andrew, a member of Boy Scout Troop 261, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building, staining, pre-locating, and hanging twenty to twenty-five bluebird houses at the Shoal Creek Living History Museum and the Hodge Park Golf Course, both located in Hodge Park; and

Whereas, during his ten years in Scouting, Andrew mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty merit badges, the Ad Altare Dei award, the World Conservation Award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow and Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, Andrew demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader and Troop Historian; and

Whereas, the son of Bill and Tammie Tritico, Andrew developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation and going on a Packard High Adventure trip in Colorado; and

Whereas, Andrew's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Andrew Tritico for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Andrew William Tritico.

Offered by
Representative Susan C. Phillips
District No. 32
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 487, adopted February 14, 2005.